

By McDONOUGH.]

[SENATE FILE No. 84.—JUDICIARY.]

A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 4276 OF THE CODE OF 1873, CHAPTER 14,
TITLE TWENTY-FIVE, AND ENACT A SUBSTITUTE THEREFOR, RELATING
TO STATEMENT OF DEFENDANTS BEFORE THE GRAND JURY.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa :

SECTION 1. That section 4276 of the Code of 1873, be and the same is hereby repealed, and
2 the following enacted in lieu thereof :
3 “Section 4276. The grand jury shall hear the statement of defendants if they so de-
4 sire, and it is its duty to weigh all the evidence submitted to it, and when it has reason
5 to believe that other evidence within its reach will explain away the charge, it may
6 order such evidence to be produced.”